

Concordia United Church of Christ
(Concordia German Evangelical Church)
1920 G Street, NW
Washington
District of Columbia

HABS No. DC-396

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WRITTEN HISTORICAL AND DESCRIPTIVE DATA

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ARCHITECTURAL DATA FORM

STATE District of Columbia	COUNTY	TOWN OR VICINITY Washington
HISTORIC NAME OF STRUCTURE (INCLUDE SOURCE FOR NAME) Concordia United Church of Christ		HABS NO. DC-396
SECONDARY OR COMMON NAMES OF STRUCTURE Concordia German Evangelical Church		
COMPLETE ADDRESS (DESCRIBE LOCATION FOR RURAL SITES) 1920 C Street, NW		
DATE OF CONSTRUCTION (INCLUDE SOURCE) 1891-1892	ARCHITECT(S) (INCLUDE SOURCE) Paul Schulze and Albert Coenner	
SIGNIFICANCE (ARCHITECTURAL AND HISTORICAL, INCLUDE ORIGINAL USE OF STRUCTURE) Second church (on same site) of Washington's first German congregation, thus making the church an important integral part of Washington's German community. Designed by local architects Schulze and Goenner, the church is also a good example of eclectic church design.		
STYLE (IF APPROPRIATE)		
MATERIAL OF CONSTRUCTION (INCLUDE STRUCTURAL SYSTEMS) Brick		
SHAPE AND DIMENSIONS OF STRUCTURE (SKETCHED FLOOR PLANS ON SEPARATE PAGES ARE ACCEPTABLE) 46½' x 86'; 2-story; gable roof with cross gable on west side; 4-story square tower at northwest corner; tower has pyramidal roof		
EXTERIOR FEATURES OF NOTE Stylized buttresses and pilasters; extensive use of patterned brickwork and corbelling; round arched windows with stained glass; stepped gables		
INTERIOR FEATURES OF NOTE (DESCRIBE FLOOR PLANS, IF NOT SKETCHED)		
MAJOR ALTERATIONS AND ADDITIONS WITH DATES		
PRESENT CONDITION AND USE Still in use as a church by the Concordia United Church congregation		
OTHER INFORMATION AS APPROPRIATE		
SOURCES OF INFORMATION (INCLUDING LISTING ON NATIONAL REGISTER, STATE REGISTERS, ETC.) Listed on National Register of Historic Places (Information above taken from nomination) Category II District of Columbia Landmark		
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